

## PERSONAL.

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Mrs. Annie Canney of Dover is the guest of Belfast friends.

Dr. and Mrs. O. S. Vickery were visitors in Augusta last Saturday.

Miss Inez E. Crawford returned last week from a short visit in Boston.

Mrs. Melvin Kittredge of Milo was a recent guest of Miss Hazel Ramsdell.

Mrs. W. P. Thompson of Bangor arrived last Thursday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Leroy Strout and little son Francis are visiting relatives in St. John, N. B.

Earl Chamberlain of Bangor, formerly of Belfast, arrived in town last week.

Mrs. Annie W. Weeman left Friday to visit her sons in Portland and vicinity.

Miss June Andrews has returned to Thomas town after visits in Belfast and Northport.

Miss Mary M. Morison was the guest of Searsport friends several days last week.

Mrs. D. J. Conner of Boston arrived Friday, and is the guest of Mrs. E. O. Norton.

Miss Marian Washburn arrived Thursday.

and E. A. Mathews are spending a few weeks

George W. Wells and family are spending the week at the Wells cottage at Quantatacook.

Mrs. Helen W. Dodd of New York and Mrs. W. A. Harvey of Dover, Mass., were in Belfast last Thursday.

Joel Hills and E. A. Mathews and family of Union, are spending a few weeks camping at Swan Lake.

Mrs. Raymond Smart of Portland arrived Tuesday and is the guest of Miss Edith Strout, East Belfast.

Miss Ruby Hardy of the Kennebec Journal office is spending two weeks' vacation in Pittsfield and Belfast.

Miss Harriet Clements of Rockland is enjoying two weeks' vacation from her duties with the Fuller, Cobb Co.

Miss Harriet L. Furbush of Meriden, Conn., is spending her annual vacation with friends in Belfast and vicinity.

Mr. Daniel Lane, of Boston arrived recently to visit his niece, Mrs. Caro B. Stickney, at the old Lane homestead.

Frank J. Small of Old Town arrived Friday morning. His wife and little son at the home of Judge Weyland Knowlton.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. S. Mitchell of Medford, Mass., returned home Saturday from a short visit with Belfast relatives.

Mrs. Edwin S. Bowker spent the week-end in Newport, where she was the guest of her friend Mrs. Fred Philbrick.

Mrs. E. S. Small and daughter Evelyn went to Freedom Monday to visit her son, Dr. A. W. Small.—Deer Isle Messenger.

Mr. Charles H. Field was the guest for several days the past week of his sister, Mrs. Charles S. Peirl of Bangor.

Mrs. Mary L. Sielinger and two sons of Sacramento, Calif., left Thursday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles H.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace J. Morton, accompanied by Mrs. O. C. Cammett, arrived from Chicago Saturday and have opened their summer home in Belmont.

Mrs. Edith P. Cochran and Miss Erma Mettingill of Boston arrived recently for a vacation, going from here to Northport for a stay.

Miss Florence E. Dunton arrives Saturday to spend her vacation from her library work in Madison, Wis., with her parents, Hon. and Mrs. R. F. Dunton.

Mrs. L. L. Perry, Misses Edith M. Southworth, Carrie M. Greenlaw and Marian M. Perry will leave August 11th on the Robins excursion to Quebec and Montreal.

Thomas L. Stagg and daughter, Miss Margaret Stagg of Carleton, N. J., arrived Tuesday and attended the wedding of Arthur L. Stagg and Miss Florence M. Hill.

Misses Rena L. and Bessie L. Black of London, the former a teacher in the Public school

Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Whitman of Cambridge, Mass., arrived Sunday and are the guests of Mrs. Whitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jones. They came for the August wedding.

Rev. and Mrs. David L. Wilson, of Southport, Blair, Donald and Paul and Miss Catherine Marshall left Tuesday for Georgia, where they will occupy one of the horse cottages.

Clarence E. French, Esq. and family of Waltham are at the Northport Inn for the summer. Mr. French and his two sons came by the steamer by boat. Mr. French continues his law practice, making occasional visits home.

Miss Abbie O. Stoddard has arrived in Pasadena, Cal., after a pleasant journey, which included a visit to the Grand Canyon. She

S. Herbert Frost has assumed his duties as postmaster at Pittsfield. Belfast branch of the Post Office, who has been connected with the Pittsfield office for several years, and is an assistant clerk and now as assistant postmaster, will be glad to know that he is to retain his position.

Reginald Hazeltine of Wheeling, West Va., is expected by Friday morning's boat, to join his wife and children at the home, his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Hazeltine, and his father and son of Wheeling will arrive Sunday and will be guests of the Hazeltines at Forepine Lodge, Fitch's Pond, for two weeks.

Miss Harriet Dunn of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived by Sunday's boat for a visit to her Wellesley classmate, Miss S. S. Pearson. Miss Dunn is a member of the Y. W. C. A. and will leave Sunday for her excellent position in the fall. She came to Belfast to attend the wedding of Miss Florence M. Hill and Morris L.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Le Shute and little daughter, Elana, left Monday morning for a week's visit in Rockland with Mrs. Shute's mother, Mrs. Clara Batchelder in Rockland highlands. Mr. Shute will return home to accompany the team to Dover next Saturday. During his absence, the duties of the American Express Company's office will be taken by Alice Knowlton, the driver, and Geo. Harcourt will drive for Mr. Knowlton.

Miss Alice Welsh is at the family cottage, Cobblestone cottage. Since leaving Augusta she has spent several years in New York in art and design. She is now in the city of New York and opened a studio in Inauger. Her course at the New York School of Applied Design has developed her natural talent wonderfully, and she is now glad to hear of her success in her chosen work. Exhibitions in New Harbor and Northeast Harbor, have been notably gratifying.—Kennebec Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Henderson of Boston and Woodbury A. Wigham of Charleston

Park street. Mr. Henderson is traveling car  
 agent of the Boston & Maine Railroad. Wed-  
 nesday the party motored to his former home  
 in Old Town, where the visit to the Penobscot  
 mill was made. The mill is a very interest-  
 ing feature. Called in Bangor and Bel-  
 fast were features were called upon—Rockland Courier-  
 Gazette.

Mr. and Mrs. Walla e R. Tarbox of Frye-  
 burg motored to Belfast last Friday and were  
 guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Marden.  
 Mrs. Tarbox is past Department President  
 of the local chapter of the A. A. R. They  
 were accompanied by Mrs. Florence Wallace  
 of Waterville, the present Department Presi-  
 dent who was the guest of Mrs. Julia A.  
 McKenney. Both ladies were Belfast girls, the  
 former of Fryburg and the latter Miss  
 Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.



## Memorial Day in Buenos Aires

A friend—The Journal has them all over the world—has sent us a copy of The Standard of Buenos Aires of the date of May 31st, in which we find interesting reports of the observance of Memorial Day by American residents under the auspices of General Asboth Camp No. 1, Division of S. V., the first and only camp organized outside the United States. At 10 a. m. representatives of the local camp and veterans, accompanied by the Rev. B. F. Reavis, left 718 Corrientes, in automobiles for the cemetery where old soldiers and sailors who fought on either side lie buried, to reverently strew their graves with flowers in token of remembrance. On arrival at the Protestant section of the cemetery at Chacarita, a short religious service was conducted by the Rev. B. F. Reavis in the chapel, which was filled with about forty or fifty American citizens. Following the service, the graves of the veterans were solemnly decorated by the local sons of veterans. In the evening a public commemorative service, attended by about a hundred citizens, was held in the hall of the American Church, Calle Corrientes, presided over by the United States Minister, the Hon. John Work Garrett. The reading desk was decorated with the Stars and Stripes draped with black crepe, over which were hung crossed swords used during the war. The proceedings opened with the singing of "America" by the audience, which was followed by a short prayer by Mr. B. A. Shuman. The next item was a song, "Our Country," by Miss Beatrice Fillebrown, whose perfect interpretation earned for her a storm of genuine applause. The chairman then called upon the Rev. W. E. Myers, pastor of the Lomas M. E. Church, who delivered a patriotic and eloquent address on "The Significance of Memorial Day." In closing he said:

Fifty years ago armed hosts marched to and from battlefields carrying with them death, misery and sorrow. Today on those same fields great hosts have moved, but they have carried not the sword but the banner of peace. They have died, but to inspire the youth of our land to a greater and fuller life. Today different sections met, but they came together as neighbors and friends. May we continue to show our respect to our fathers and our worthiness to receive the blessing which they have conferred upon us by so living, that no bloodshed will ever be necessary again because of the greater enlightenment in which we live.

"Green be the graves where her martyrs are lying! Shrouded and tombless they sunk to their rest. While over their ashes the starry folk fly. Wraps the proud eagle they roused from his nest. Borne on her northern pine, Long o'er the foaming brine Spread her banner to storm and to sun; Heaven keep her ever free Wide as o'er land and sea Floats the fair emblem her heroes have won!"

After the applause which greeted the termination of the address had subsided, Mrs. A. J. Lohed gave a charming interpretation of "Maryland, my Maryland," which was warmly applauded. The chairman next called upon the commander of the Camp, Mr. J. E. Eccleston to say a few words and to read an address written by Colonel Philo Hersey of San Jose, California. We quote as follows from his remarks:

Peace and arbitration of international disputes are uppermost in the minds of all, at least of the more civilized nations. And this is expressed, much more eloquently than I could do it, in the address I am about to read to you, which has come to me from a distinguished veteran officer of the Civil War, Colonel and ex-judge Philo Hersey, formerly of Maine, but for many years past a resident of San Jose, California. It was at the suggestion of a veteran who fought under him, who for many years has lived in Colonia Yerres, Entre Rios, that I wrote to request that his Colonel should prepare for us this Memorial Day address, and I am happy to say that he acceded to the request, though now over 80 years of age, and has written us a letter and an essay which I am proud to be the means of making public.

**COLONEL HERSEY'S LETTER.**  
My Dear Commander: I enclose herewith the promised communication for Decoration Day. I hardly know what would be adapted to your love of duty and people, but I have suggested a few things out of the great mass of sentiment that arises when one stops to think of himself and the world as he finds it today.

I hope you may have a delightful day on May 30th, and such inspiration as it gives will tend to higher and nobler values of life and the energies we give to it. Break down the prejudices against our Southern fellow-citizens and brothers, if you have any, and encourage harmony by harmonious conduct. While in the early history of our country it was of common culture "that it is sweet to die for one's country," let us today inculcate the idea that it is glorious to live for one's country, and to so live that we and all our people, shall be able to stand up for our two's work. In these modern days I am inclined to think, as a result of our great experience and wisdom, the philosophy in the Irish soldier's reply to his colonel is for this period of advanced civilization to be approved.

A colonel in a Maine regiment was accustomed to talk to his men, endeavoring to inspire love of duty and patriotic devotion among them. One day he was talking of a soldier's duty to have courage under all circumstances and, if need be, die willingly for his country. After making his address as inspiring as his eloquence would warrant, he put the question to his regiment, saying: "Why should a man die for his country?" Waiting a moment for a reply and none coming, he spied Pat McGinnis with his tall form looming up in the crowd, and said to him: "Pat, haven't you an answer? Why should a man die for his country?" Pat seemed a little bewildered by the question, but, scratching his head a little as if to stir up an idea, replied: "Kum-mel, ye're right. Why should he?"

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**PHILO HERSEY.**

The address, dealing with many incidents of the war, which followed, was listened to with great interest by the whole audience, and was published in full in The Standard. The Journal will republish it in an early issue.

The next item on the program was a song by Mr. R. W. Huntington, entitled "Around the Camp Fire," composed by George M. Vickers, an ex-Union soldier, and set to music by Adam-Giebel, and sung in all Grand Army Posts since 1882, and the concluding item was "The Song of the Flag" (Reginald de Koven), by Mrs. A. J. Lohed. Both singers were heartily applauded.

The Hon. J. Work Garrett then invited any veteran present to say a few words. Mr. John Daly responded in a few brief words, after which hearty votes of thanks on the motion of the Minister were accorded to the ladies who had kindly assisted and to Colonel Hersey for his most interesting address. The proceedings then terminated.

### CONCERNING THE DOG DAYS.

The dog days are hot stuff. They are also hot and stuffy. They warm up about the middle of August, and are a sure sign that the backbone of winter is broken. It is only when the Dog Star rises that we have dog days, but nobody has yet discovered what the Dog Star does, unless it is the sidereal heavens at night, and he certainly does rage about there considerably. Which reminds us that the Dog Star rises only at night, and it is the dog days we hear most about. There is no answer to this one, either. But that makes no difference to the Weather Bureau, and the mercury shines up the tube just the same, while mankind simply drifts along on a sea of perspiration. The name of the Dog Star is Sirius. This is because he is no joke. Dogs become mad during dog days, and why shouldn't they? Everybody else does, and swears besides, which dogs do not. Dog daisies blossom at this season, and they are tropical flowers, all right. In conclusion it may be said without fear of successful contradiction that although every dog has his day, every day hasn't its dog, and the rest of us ought to be doggedged off it.—W. J. Lampton in August Lippincott's.

### Passing of the Sailer.

Statistics compiled by the U. S. Government during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, give conclusive evidence that the sailing ship is fast passing into disuse. These figures show that while 86 sailing vessels of 23,737 tons were constructed during this period, 77 vessels of 45,355 tons were lost, or a shortage of 21,018 tons. This is further augured by the fact that the new sailing ships were included in the new construction, while only vessels of 500 tons or more are given on the lost list. Out of the 86 new sailing vessels only 5, of 8,285 tons, were constructed of steel. It is also notable that during the last decade not a square-rigged vessel has been built in American shipyards.

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### EGG BREAKAGE A SERIOUS LOSS

In order to reduce the enormous breakage of eggs in transit, which causes an annual loss of several million dollars to producers and raises the price of eggs to consumers, elaborate experiments are being conducted by the Bureau of Chemistry of the United States Department of Agriculture for determining the safest manner of packing eggs for long and short shipment by rail. The egg production in the United States amounts to about half a billion dozens annually, and the necessity for better methods of packing is shown in the fact that over nine percent of all the eggs received in New York City are cracked, and that a large percentage of these are unfit for use as food.

—From the August Popular Mechanic's Magazine.

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### AN ORCHESTRA OF ONE-ARMED MEN.

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## Facts for Farmers.

WANTED HIS HAY CUT BY HAND.

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears an interesting discussion of the advantages and economies that come to farmers who use machinery. Following is an extract:  
"When we came on the farm about a quarter of a century ago, an old man in our neighborhood was still cutting all his grass by hand, paying from a dollar and a half to two dollars a day for men with the scythe. For a good while this same man had his hay raked by hand. His reason for doing this was that he thought the hay would be more dust, he thought, in the hay cut and raked by machinery, and that would affect the health of the cows!  
"It is all right, of course, to look for the health of the cows; but, as a matter of fact, it was simply a notion that hand-cut hay was a bit better than that harvested by machinery. But the thing that drove the good old man to farm machinery was the advanced cost of farm labor. It cost him a good deal more to get his hay done the old way, and by watching other farmers who used machinery and asking some questions he learned that he was standing in his own light and really wasting money."

**MAKING FARM LANDS MORE VALUABLE.**  
Harry B. Potter, of the staff of Farm and Fireside, writes an article in the current issue of that publication entitled "Making Farm Lands More Valuable." He shows that where alfalfa is grown, soils become richer. Following is an interesting extract from Mr. Potter's article:

"Alfalfa will pay six per cent. interest on \$1,000-an-acre land; it is equal to wheat-bran as stock feed; one acre of alfalfa is equal to six acres of timothy; where corn will net \$15.80 per acre, alfalfa will net \$50 per acre. Every farmer should grow some alfalfa.  
"That is the statement of A. P. Grout, for twenty years a grower of this crop, now president of the Illinois Alfalfa Growers' Association. It is not a wild boast for the crop that is creating so great interest everywhere. It is the conservative opinion of one who has made a success of farming and gives credit to alfalfa for much of his success. Mr. Grout is but one of many who realize that alfalfa is a roughage without a known superior, and that if it can be successfully grown the farm and the farmer will become richer."

"Alfalfa is waiting for an invitation to every farmer in the United States. Joseph E. Wing, the alfalfa enthusiast of Ohio, says: 'I do not hesitate to affirm that alfalfa can be grown successfully on any farm in the United States.' This is the final word, for Mr. Wing has seen the farm lands of all of the States, and he has known farm conditions from having met them himself."

### DECREASE IN BEEF CATTLE.

Judson C. Welliver, Washington correspondent of Farm and Fireside, writing an article in the current issue of that publication, entitled "The Farmer and the Future," publishes many interesting facts. An extract from this article follows:

"In six years past there has been a decline of over thirty per cent. in the number of beef cattle in the country. At the beginning of 1907 there were, by the department estimates, 51,566,000 beef cattle in the country, while on the same date this year the number was only 36,030,000. Not only this. Over half the meat animals are killed under government inspection. The number of them thus killed was thirteen per cent. less in the first three months of 1913 than in the like period of 1912. Here is the statistical data:

"First three months of 1912, 1,753,882 cattle, 458,309 calves, 10,149,088 hogs, 3,640,290 sheep; total, 16,001,556.  
"First three months of 1913, 1,595,593 cattle, 398,843 calves, 8,885,421 hogs, 3,036,548 sheep; total, 13,916,396."

"A steady decrease right down the line. It can't be accounted for on any assumption that the market has been bad, for we all know prices and demand have been highly favorable. Thus, at Chicago the 1912 average price for native steers was \$7.95, as against \$6.50 in 1911—an increase of over twenty-two per cent. Hogs showed an increase from \$6.70 to \$7.65, or a little more than fourteen per cent."

"The Department heads tell me that they are going to devote much effort to encouraging the production of meat in the East and South. They believe there is a great field for missionary work in these sections."

### ENGLISH HENS IN AN EGG-LAYING CONTEST.

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears a report of an egg-laying contest recently terminated in this country. One of the most interesting passages in this report follows:

"The really sensational feature of the contest, thus far, is the wonderful record made by the pen of S. C. White. English hens entered in the contest by an English poultryman. The pen, during the six months, laid 1,234 eggs, which is 155 eggs more than the next best pen laid, and an average of 47.8 eggs per hen more than the average production per hen, of all the hens in the contest.  
"The question naturally arises, 'Why has this English pen so far outdistanced our American pens? There must be a reason. When ten birds, after traveling on ocean and land for two weeks, much of the time without feed or water, can start right in and make a record of this kind, there must be something more than 'luck' behind it."

"The owner of this pen states that every one of the ten pullets in the pen was bred from a female with a high record for egg production, and sired by a male out of a high-producing hen. Therein seems to lie the secret of the wonderful record which this pen is making."

"There can be no doubt but that the average American poultry-breeder, during the past few years, has been paying so much attention to the color of feathers and show records that he has lost sight of the more important matter of egg production. One thing is certain, promiscuous and careless breeding will never enable the poultryman of this country to make any progress in egg production. Careful breeding and selection must be practiced if progress is to be made."

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## Washington Whisperings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28, 1913. Already the people of New York State, keenly alive to the vast benefits that will accrue, are looking eagerly forward to the opening of the barge canal which, next to the Panama Canal, is one of the greatest engineering feats of modern times and which, when completed, will cost in the neighborhood of \$130,000,000. This canal, undertaken by the State of New York alone, will be a very great artery of communication, available for both profit and pleasure. Its length including the Hudson river will be nearly 500 miles and when completed, shortly after the opening of the Panama Canal, the people of the Empire State will have at their disposal a free channel of transportation, a canal 12 feet in depth and capable of accommodating boats which will carry freight from Duluth to Boston. Among the benefits will be a lake 16 miles long from Schenectady to Waterford, while the building of an immense dam in Oneida county already has proved its value.

To accommodate the enormous volume of business anticipated the State is erecting freight terminals at a cost of \$19,000,000, the largest expenditures being made in the cities of Buffalo and New York, the lake and ocean termini respectively. These two cities decided the question of voting bonds against the opposition of all the rest of the State, including most of those cities which now are expectantly looking forward to increased business.

The Department of Agriculture, through the Weather Bureau, has inaugurated a plan of supplying a regular daily weather bulletin to all vessels and radio stations within range of the enormous wireless stations at Arlington, Va., and Key West, Florida. Each night, a few minutes after 10 o'clock, the two big radio stations will make a broadcast distribution of a weather bulletin which will deal particularly with wind conditions and barometric pressure and give special warning of severe storms along the coast.

The daily bulletin will consist of two parts. The first part will give in code letters and figures the actual weather conditions at 8 p. m. (75th Meridian time) at certain points: Sydney, Nantucket, Atlantic City, Hatteras, Charleston, Key West, Pensacola and Bermuda.

The total number of animals inspected in the 790 slaughtering and processing establishments under federal inspection in 226 cities and towns in 1912 was 67,628,491. This is nearly 5,000,000 increase over the figures for the fiscal year 1911. Of the animals inspected in 1912 cattle numbered 7,245,585; calves, 2,277,954; sheep, 14,979,354; goats, 72,871; and hogs, 33,052,727.

In addition to this enormous work on the part of the Bureau of Animal Industry, that service also condemned nearly 18,000,000 pounds of prepared meats and meat products because they had become unwholesome subsequent to the first inspection.

### FOREST NOTES.

A shingle mill in Maine uses 2,000 cords of paper birch each year in the manufacture of toothpicks.

The new Chinese republic has established a department of agriculture and forestry. For a long time China had been pointed out as the most backward nation in forest work.

A toy company at Sheboygan, Wis., started out to use only the waste wood from other mills. It has worked out a system of using all small waste pieces so that practically nothing but the sawdust is lost.

Austria not only sells timber but timber products from its forest lands, and disposes of about 1,500,000 railway ties a year. There is no provision in the United States by which the national forests can dispose of manufactured lumber, though the policy of selling standing timber is well established.

The twenty-five million tree seedlings to farmers, principally in the Alberta and Regina plains region. The United States does not supply young trees to the public, except in a limited area in Nebraska, under the terms of the Kincaid Act.

The federal light house bureau and the forest service are cooperating in forest work. Though this sounds strange, it becomes a very simple fact, as pointed out by the officials of the bureau, that the cooperation is confined to the light house districts on the shores of the great lakes in the lumber States of Michigan and Wisconsin. The light house reservations here include a total of nearly 5,500 acres, and range in size from 30 acres at Grand Island, Mich., to 1,040 acres at Grand Marais.

An examination is just being started to determine the best forest methods to pursue on the reservations. On some, from which the timber has been cut, white pine and Norway pine will be planted. On others the timber already growing will be preserved through use. On two of the reservations, the forest experts point out, the opportunities are excellent for growing cedar and pine for spar buoys and piling, to be used in the work of the light house bureau itself. All parts of the reservations can not be devoted to forests. Some areas will have to be left clear for protection from fire, while others immediately adjacent to the beacons themselves will have to be left bare in order that the lights may not be obscured.

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## VACATION NOTES.

It was for years a constant surprise to the writer how men whose active life had been spent at sea could settle down contentedly at home—often out of sight and sound of salt water—and find employment and recreation in keeping their lawns closely clipped, their driveways and gardens free from weeds. One patriotic retired seafarer we recall had the Stars and Stripes displayed from the top of every bean pole. Then they like to navigate a horse, and it must be a fast one. To the writer, who came of a seafaring race, was endowed with a reliable pair of sea legs and a love for the sea, it seemed passing strange that any one should tire of a life on the ocean wave. But now I find that the sea has lost its allurements; a seat in a friend's car is more attractive than a seat in a cockpit with a hand on the tiller; that country scenes are more enticing than sandy beaches and rocky headlands, and that the dry inland air is a pleasing change from the moist atmosphere of the sea shore in dog days. With this predilection nothing could be more to my mind than a brief vacation in Rutland, the highest town in Massachusetts, with quarters in a bungalow on top of one of the highest hills and commanding views of a liberal portion of the United States.

The trip to Boston was uneventful, the sea smooth; a full passenger list with not a familiar face among them; but her commander, Capt. Curtis, the senior on the line, was a reminder of the old-times and of the old commanders from the days of the Sanfords, the Ingrahams, Otis and Job, the Roixs, Father and son, Marcus Pierce, and others—sterling men and skilled navigators. It was hot in Boston; but the usual visit was made to the Common and the Public Garden. On the Common the seats in the shade were well occupied, some of their occupants smoking, some reading papers, others sleeping, while still others were stretched out on the grass. The Public Garden increases in attractiveness year by year with the growth of the trees and the addition to the shrubbery and flowers. The willows especially which fringe the pond and crown the rocky islands make a rapid growth, and under the shade of one an hour or more was spent in what was without doubt at that time the coolest spot in Boston. The swan boats with their passengers, and the rowboats, were passing to and fro and a pleasing sight was a party of thirty or forty little school children in charge of two teachers, who were being shown about the gardens. An enquiry of one of the workmen brought a reply that suggested the question as to whether all the employees of Boston have a touch of the brogue. It was a courteous and kindly reply, and a descendant of the Irish Kings who is not that under all circumstances is an exception.

Why is it that boys are no longer seen sailing their toy boats on the Frog Pond? Is it because of the decadence of ship-building or the transition from sail to steam or gasoline? Time was when the New England boy, or at least those on the coast of Maine, began at an early age to manufacture sailing craft. The first attempts were crude, of course—a piece of shingle, perhaps, with one end fashioned into the shape of a vessel's bow; some thin pieces of wood served as sails, another piece at the stern as rudder, and another as a bowsprit. These craft could only sail before the wind and often would capsize before going far. An advance was made when masts were whittled out and birch bark was used for sails. The next advance was made when a block of wood was fashioned into the shape of a hull and rigged with masts and sails—still another when this hull was hollowed out and a deck laid; and later a lead keel was added which gave stability and enabled these tiny craft to carry sail. In one case the demand for lead caused a serious leak in one house and it was discovered that the lead around a chimney had been cut away. The writer was quite successful among his boy associates in building these miniature yachts, but on going to Bucksport in 1853 to attend the E. M. C. S. found that his craft were crude and ill-shaped when compared with those turned out by a young man of that town. As recalled their lines were graceful and their rig complete, and becoming the possessor of one it was taken home and was the winner of many a race. Many years later E. L. Macomber of Belfast, a boat builder, as was his father before him, devised a method of building these toy boats which proved very satisfactory. Making a model he steamed thin pieces of board which were pressed into shape, making the two sides of the hull. These were then put together, a lead keel added, a deck laid, and the boat sloop rigged with two lower sails and a gaff-top-sail. The hulls were painted white and they were very pretty little craft. Mr. Macomber intended making this a business, but other matters demanded his attention and only a few were made, one of which is in the possession of the writer.

In the next seat in the always crowded and busy North Station was an individual whose breath gave evidence that he had had his "morning bitters," although he was not noticeably affected thereby and was evidently a man of some

intelligence. Turning to me he said in a confidential tone, "Excuse me, sir, but isn't this a great place to study human nature." That was just what I was doing, or rather I was observing the passers by, for years a favorite occupation in leisure hours, and was wondering then, as often before, why pretty girls—or girls that might be pretty—should make themselves up as deformities or to resemble creatures from the slums. On my first visit to the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs of Virginia in 1869 I was something of an invalid and unable to take part in the activities of that noted resort, and so after breakfast took a seat on the veranda where practically all of the 2,000 guests would pass. It might well, as to the feminine part, have been called a beauty show, for the belles of Richmond and Baltimore, and of other cities and towns in Virginia, and Maryland, were in evidence. The White Sulphur had been a noted southern resort from far back in ante bellum days, and many representative men from that section were among the guests. Conspicuous among them—although that is hardly the proper word, so modest and retiring was he—was General Robert E. Lee. Then there was Commodore M. F. Maury, to whom all seafarers are indebted for his contributions to knowledge of the ocean currents and other aids to navigation. Gen. J. Bankhead Magruder and other ex-Confederate officers of more or less note were among the guests, and a conspicuous figure was ex-Governor Wise of Virginia, who had the Yankee habit of whittling—and by the way has that become a lost art, for no one is seen whittling now-a-days?—whose epigrammatic utterances held the group that gathered about him at the spring house while he busied himself with his jackknife. It was certainly a great place to study human nature.

It was a hot and dusty ride from Boston to West Rutland, but borne uncomplainingly in anticipation of the cool breezes and bracing air that awaited one at Charnock Lodge on the hill-top. At the station the familiar Packard car was in waiting, with its owner to give a welcoming hand, and we were soon on our way to what last season's experience proved to be an ideal resting place. The bungalow and its surroundings were fully described after that first visit and it may be taken for granted that the place has lost none of its attractions. The next morning the gathering clouds and mists veiling the distant hills presaged rain, and as the day wore on the showers came, and were needed, as there has been a prolonged drouth in this region. It held up in the afternoon so that a ride to Worcester was enjoyed, and its not least interesting feature was observing the crowds on the busy streets from the car. Washington street, Boston, was never more crowded than were the principal streets of Worcester, and the summer costumes of the fairer sex—which designation must include some whose complexions were dusky to black—produced a kaleidoscopic effect. When starting for home it was necessary to put up the top of the car, and after reaching our destination the rain came down in earnest and continued well into the night. The next morning it had cleared off and the wind was blowing a gale from the northwest. The ripened grass in front of the bungalow undulated like the waves of the sea and the sound of the wind through the surrounding trees was like that of the surf upon a sandy shore. White clouds of all sizes and every imaginable shape floated lazily through a pale blue sky, and the air was deliciously sweet and pure—an air that must bring balm to the lungs of the tuberculosis patients at the State Sanatorium on a distant hill. A day's ride was on the program that covered 101 1/2 miles and included dinner at the Auto Inn in North Wilbraham, a cosy little place, where the viands and service were alike satisfactory.

Saturday morning was devoted to a ramble about the place, with an inspection of some high bush blueberries as a special object. The writer had never seen anything like them. There were bushes full eight feet high on which the berries hung in rich purple clusters, and there are many of them. Strawberries were abundant here in their season. Then came raspberries, then the low bush blueberries, and the high bush variety will be followed by blackberries galore. Other resources are a trout stream and partridge shooting, and this season seven deer have been seen on the grounds. There are groves of noble pines and a mixed growth in places of pine, chestnut and oak, with an occasional wild apple tree. Wild flowers are abundant, including orchids. Stopping in our ramble to admire a thistle bloom that was more than two inches in diameter it was found to be inhabited by a bumblebee, a honeybee, a butterfly and another winged insect usually called a miller. The bees seemed to be enjoying themselves and at times were almost hidden as they burrowed into the purple blossom.

A ride of about 50 miles occupied the afternoon, and the route took us through Barre, which is said to be the best farming town in Massachusetts. Here is the summer home and stock farm of Col. Gaston. His residence, large enough for a hotel, is built of a light reddish brick, has white trimmings and green blinds and is of colonial design. Opposite the house is a tennis court. From Barre we went through Petersham, which is the summer home of a colony of New Yorkers. Here are old dwellings that have undergone transformation to suit the tastes of their present occupants by the addition of pergolas, outside chimneys, dormer windows, etc., and as may be said of all these hill towns there is no lack of handsome shade trees on the streets and in the grounds.

The towns visited on these rides included North and West Brookfield, Brookfield, Palmer, Warren, North Wilbraham, Spencer, Leicester, Worcester, Holden,

Jefferson, Oakham, Hardwick, Hubbardston, Oakdale, East Princeton, Princeton, Petersham, Barre and Colebrook. Each ride had its attractions, but it would be impossible to describe them in detail. All had the same general characteristics. A hill country necessarily includes valleys, and this region is well watered and the many ponds and streams give an added charm to the landscape. The roads generally are good and are well shaded. In some places the shade is so dense that it seems like twilight. In others the sun shines through and there are beautiful effects of light and shade. Then an opening reveals a pond, its surface ruffled by the breeze; a stream rippling over rocks with foam-flecked pools between; hills more or less precipitous, tree-clad to their summits, their foliage variegated from the sombre hue of the pine to the lighter green of the deciduous trees, with an occasional background of bare ledges. There is very little dust on these tree-shaded roads and a ride over them in the luxurious Packard car at a 25-mile rate is an experience long to be remembered. Cars were met from Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, two from Maine and one from the Province of Quebec, and on other occasions cars have been seen from practically every State in the Union, including those on the Pacific coast.

Sunday was a day of rest at Charnock Lodge. At 10 a. m. the thermometer in the shade on the veranda indicated 77, but a cooling breeze dispelled all sensation of heat and we could commiserate those who undoubtedly were sweltering in the cities. The Boston Sunday papers arrived on the hill-top about ten o'clock, and brought us news of the outer world, from which we seemed so far removed. In the afternoon a ride was in order which afforded near and fine views of Mt. Wachusett, the highest land in Massachusetts, and carried us by hand-some summer homes and extensive farm buildings with their silos, windmills, etc. One road had for miles on each side a stately row of maples, and a little farther on the road was shaded by oaks. Wild grape vines covered the stone walls in many places. In all these auto rides through the country comparatively few apple orchards were seen, but there were many trees along the road-sides and near the houses, and it was rare to see fruit on one. It evidently is not an apple year in the hill country of Massachusetts.

Mention has been made of the appearance of deer in the grounds of Charnock Lodge, and my host had hoped I would have a glimpse of one. Monday, the day of departure, when on the way to the West Rutland station in the Packard, two deer were seen in the open in front of the car, making for the woods.

The day spent in Boston was one of extreme discomfort. It was hot there the week before, but Monday it was both hot and muggy and a shower in the afternoon added to the general stickiness without alleviating the heat. When the steamer Camden was fairly outside she ran into fog which lasted until Belfast was reached, and of course the whistle was sounded all night, but yours truly slept through it all.

The primary election resulted just as expected, and the vote was light. The contest between Pattangall and Gould increased the Democratic vote somewhat, but the choice of the Republicans was a foregone conclusion and Mr. Peters had a walkover.

We give space to Mr. Peters' open letter to show the few people who voted for Mr. Haines in the primaries that their confidence in him was misplaced. It does not seem necessary to say more in this connection.

## NEWS OF THE GRANGES.

Silver Harvest Grange, Walto, will hold its next regular meeting Thursday evening, Aug. 7th; if stormy, the next pleasant Thursday night. All members are requested to be present and enjoy the clam stew which will be served.

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## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, The angel of death has entered our enclosure and taken from us our beloved brother, A. T. Stover, therefore, be it Resolved, That by his death we have lost a respected brother, his family a loved husband and father, the community a valued citizen.  
Resolved, That we, the members of Seaside Grange, extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their great affliction and point them to Him who alone can comfort the broken-hearted.  
Resolved, That a page on our records be set apart for these resolutions; a copy sent to the bereaved family, also one to the county papers for publication.

MRS. ELIJAH RITCHIE, ) Committee  
MR. A. B. SMALLEY, )  
MRS. E. B. LUNT, ) Resolutions.

## Samuel D. Haynes Pardoned.

AUGUSTA, Me., July 29. After a hearing which lasted all day and after a short executive session tonight the governor and council pardoned Samuel D. Haynes, who is serving a life sentence in the state prison at Thomaston for the murder of James L. Robbins, a Rockland policeman in 1879. This case has aroused as much interest as any in the criminal jurisprudence of Maine and eight efforts were made for his pardon.

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## An Open Letter from Hon. John A. Peters.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: My attention has been called to a letter and a circular issued by Mr. Roy C. Haines, supposedly in the interest of his candidacy for congress, which contain such false and misleading statements that I consider it my duty to the voters in this district to call their attention to the truth.

Mr. Haines in giving what he calls "the story of his campaign" omits some facts which may be of interest.

He states, and has previously stated in advertisements in the papers, that at a meeting in Bangor July 10th of more than 60 representative men of this district, he was "treacherously influenced to withdraw."

The inference from this would be that some of my friends or myself had something to do with his withdrawal. In his circular Mr. Haines says that he returned from Bangor "a victim of a well-laid plot."

The facts are as told me by Dr. W. L. West of Belfast, who is a supporter of Mr. Haines, that when Dr. West arrived at the meeting and had time to talk with people present he discovered that 61 out of 62 men present favored my candidacy and Dr. West, being the only supporter of Mr. Haines, wholly in a spirit of friendliness and, as he supposed, in the interest of Mr. Haines, took him one side, without consulting anybody, and advised him to withdraw. I knew nothing of what was going to happen and it was a great surprise to the people present at the meeting. Mr. Haines called the chairman at the beginning of the meeting for the privilege of addressing the meeting for the purpose of withdrawing. Dr. West was the only person who suggested it to Mr. Haines. For Mr. Haines, on assumption alone, to assume that his friend, Dr. West, was party to a plot to induce him to withdraw, shows not only an entire lack of appreciation of the efforts of his friend but a reckless disregard of what the actual facts might be.

Mr. Haines makes the remarkable statement, that upon his return to Ellsworth, after he had withdrawn, that he was "approached in behalf of the ring" to accept certain money considerations if he would withdraw in favor of Mr. Peters. He says: "This I refused to do and then and there decided to enter the fight again." Just why I, or anybody, should offer Mr. Haines money to withdraw after he had voluntarily and completely withdrawn in Bangor, I cannot understand. I did not do it; I did not authorize any one else to do it, and I do not believe that any one did offer him money. Mr. Haines may have got this mixed up with the following facts, which he omits to state, and which are necessary to complete the story: The next day, after his return from Bangor, Mr. Haines approached representatives of the Progressive party with a view to joining them and becoming a candidate for Congress on their ticket. His friend, Dr. West, heard of this and, remembering that Mr. Haines in his first letter had stated that he wanted to go to Congress to carry out the policies of the late Congressman Goodwin and that Mr. Haines had publicly, in Augusta, pledged his support to me, if I were nominated, and again at Bangor, both times without suggestion on my part, or any of my friends, came over to see Mr. Haines and to reason with him on his conduct. He found him at the Progressive caucus about to make a speech and took him from the caucus. I do not know what was said between them, but Mr. Haines did not at that time join the Progressives. The same evening Dr. West came into my office and stated that he wanted to put a proposition to me in behalf of Mr. Haines. He prefaced his statement by saying that it was a peculiar proposition, but that Mr. Haines was in a peculiar position.

He then said in substance that Mr. Haines had borrowed nine hundred dollars and had spent it all so far in this campaign; that he was out of money and out of a job; and that if I would pay him four hundred dollars and give him a job he would not join the Progressives and would write any kind of a letter I desired to the Bangor News, stating his firm approval of my candidacy.

I asked Dr. West to tell Mr. Haines that I could not talk on the basis of paying anything for any change of attitude on his part and suggested that he simply try to make him see the unreasonableness of his position. Dr. West came back after a while and said that it was no use, that Mr. Haines had an ultimatum, which he would put up and that was that I should pay him five hundred dollars in cash. I told Dr. West to inform Mr. Haines that I would be much obliged to him for keeping his agreements and that it would seem to be to advantage to be in the position of one who would keep his agreements, but that was as far as I would go.

In the course of the conversations I told Dr. West that I should assume that Mr. Haines was going to do just as he had agreed and was not going back on his promise to support me and that on that assumption I would telephone to Col. Parkhurst to see if he could be employed in any clerical or literary work during the campaign. Col. Parkhurst authorized me to say to him that he could give him such a job, paying him, however, what his services were worth, after they were rendered. Mr. Haines had no further propositions to offer and Dr. West, who was acting as Mr. Haines' messenger, left my office, both he and I having the belief that Mr. Haines would come out as a Progressive in the morning. Very much to my surprise, instead of doing that he telephoned the Secretary of State retracting his withdrawal. It is interesting to note in this connection that, after his failure to obtain the money demanded by him, he advertises his sentiments to be that "a good name is to be chosen rather than great riches."

Mr. Haines' statements giving the story of his preliminary campaign are about as misleading as his statement of being approached to withdraw, but as he largely deals in glittering generalities, I will only say that it is a cheap and handy weapon of a demagogue to howl about a "Ring" or a "Machine" when he finds that the voters are not much in favor of propositions for self-advancement supported by himself alone.

JOHN A. PETERS,

Ellsworth, Me., July 25, 1913.

The above letter has been read by me and I desire to say that it is an exact and complete statement of the facts as I remember them, and my recollection is vivid on this particular subject.

W. L. WEST.

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## SWANVILLE.

Mr. Elmer Cunningham has returned to Caribou. Mrs. H. G. Apple and daughter Phyllis of Somerville, Mass., arrived by boat Monday and are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nickerson. Mr. Chauncey Hardison of Smyrna Mills was a week-end guest at A. E. Cunningham's. Mrs. Oliver Wyeth and daughter Martha have returned home to Massachusetts. Mrs. W. N. Briggs has returned home from Portland. Miss Vinie M. Nickerson left Tuesday for Bradford to visit her aunts, Mrs. Albion Strout and Mrs. Flora M. Holt. Miss Effie Shorey of Enfield, who has been visiting relatives in town, is employed at Mrs. T. D. Nickerson's. Mr. E. R. Nickerson of Portland spent the week-end with his family at W. Matthews' in North Seaport. Thursday evening, August 14th, the L. A. S. will have an apron sale and entertainment at the church. Ice cream and cake will be served. Good music will be furnished and the principal feature of the evening will be readings by Mr. Bradbury, the comedian from New York, who is spending the summer at the Parker cottage. Dr. F. C. Small and Mr. Hart of Belfast have bought Cliff cottage.

## NORTH ISLESBORO.

Miss Annie Lettany of Boston is the guest of Mrs. Jennie Gurney. Mrs. Thomas Sprague and children of Somerville arrived July 26th for a visit at her old home. Mrs. Lizzie Wyman and daughter Elsie arrived home last week after spending several months in Massachusetts. Miss Gayle Ryder, a nurse at the Waldo County Hospital, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Helen Ryder. A fine musical and literary entertainment in charge of Mrs. George Robinson and Miss Lena Rose was given at the Free Baptist vestry, Wednesday evening, July 23rd. Ice cream and cake were on sale. Miss Mary Niles with her violin, added much to the music at the Sunday morning service. It was thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed. Mr. Alanson Yeaton of Boston arrived July 27th for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yeaton. Miss Beulah Bates and sister Elsie were in Augusta a few days last week.



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Everything in Oxfords, Pumps and Low Shoes, and all White Boots and Shoes will be sold at less than manufacturers' wholesale prices.

This includes all such staple lines as Queen Quality and Boston Favorites for Women, Walkovers and Ralston's for Men, in all the latest styles.

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## DURING OUR August Clearance Sale

FRIDAY, AUG. 1, TO AUG. 8.

After a most successful season we are able to offer the balance of our summer stock at attractive prices which will insure a quick removal.

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All Skirts, Raincoats, Waists, Etc., at greatly reduced prices.

The balance of our Millinery at ONE-HALF price.

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## NORTH SEAPORT.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cushman autoed to Warren with Mr. Cobb July 24th. Mr. C's sister, Mrs. Inez Brown, returned with them. Mrs. Edie Soule and son Willis of Massachusetts are at home for a short stay. Mr. Roland Woodbury and Mr. Frank Cooper were in Palermo Sunday, July 27th. Mr. Maynard Hills, and Miss Lola Hills of Union and Miss Adella Howe of Boston, Mass., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hills. Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller and Mrs. Clara Paul, autoed to Temple Heights with Mr. Sprague of South Montville, July 27th. Mrs. Alice D. Hunt and daughter Imogene are stopping for a few days with Mrs. Hunt's sister, Mrs. R. F. Ames, in Lincolnville. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rakes, Mr. H. W. Ladd and Mrs. Lucy Bean were in East Seaport Sunday. Mr. Thomas and friend of Boston are spending their vacation with Mr. Thomas' uncle, Mr. Winslow Thomas.

## SEAPORT.

Mr. Martin Thompson of Lynn, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Matilda Reynolds, and brother, Albert Thompson. Mrs. Howard Lyman and two children of Meriden, Conn., is spending the summer at Mrs. Sadie Luce's. Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon and daughter Ruth of New Jersey are guests of Mrs. Reynolds. Miss Sadie Fuller of Wakefield is spending the remainder of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller. Mr. and Mrs. Eben Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon motored to Bayside to attend the band concert this week. Dr. O. S. Vickery is building a cottage on the shore of Lake Umbagog. Mrs. George Planted and son Roger arrived by Sunday's boat to spend the month of August with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Packard. Mrs. Inez Brown of Warren is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman. Mrs. Brown is slowly recovering from the serious accident with which she met in the early spring.

## MONROE.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Palmer are at their cottage in Northport. Jasper Curtis, who has employment in Jamaica Plain, Mass., is at home for a week's vacation. Harold Ellingwood, who has employment in Massachusetts, is spending his vacation with his parents. He is accompanied by a friend, Miss Jennette Colson from Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Evelyn Young of Seaport visited at G. A. Palmer's last week. John M. Grant from Medford, Mass., is visiting friends in town. Mr. and Mrs. St. George from Boston were recently called to town by the illness of her father Horace Webber. Mr. and Mrs. William Emery of Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mrs. E's father, Forest Grant. Mrs. Geo. E. King, Jr., will accompany her husband on a trip to Bethel, Me., for a week. Mrs. Aurelia Johnson, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Laura Palmer, is visiting her daughter Rosie in Lisbon Falls. Miss Winifred Nealley from Winterport is visiting her cousin, Miss Maude Nealley in the village. The W.



## The News of Belfast.

**PUBLIC CONCERT.** The Tuskegee Community will give a concert in the Methodist church tomorrow, Friday, evening, as a benefit to the Tuskegee Institute. Rev. Charles Woods, a graduate of Columbia University, is a member of the company.

The substantial rock wall has been completed and the gate posts set at the Crosby residence on Northport avenue. The house is practically done, many shrubs set, and window boxes with an abundance of flowers will materially to the attractions of the place.

The G. A. R. attention! There will be a great lunch at the close of the regular meeting Tuesday, August 5th. The Post is cordially invited to attend. It is hoped every member will be present as matters of interest and importance will come before the meeting.

The Patten of Boston, the firm who acquired the Huntington property on Northport road just below Little River, have begun clearing the land for the sale of the barn. The barn has been taken down, and the ground leveled.

A beautiful spot for summer homes. The Jeffrey Brackett of Harvard, who spoke before the Associated Charities committee, was entertained at luncheon at the home of the Arts and Crafts shop. Other members of the party were Rev. Charles B. Woods, Frank Donaldson of York, N. B., Louise Hazeltine and Miss Margaret Lane.

The College of Agriculture of the University of Maine will hold a field day at the farm of Mr. J. A. Campbell, in the town of Albion, July 31st. Mr. P. A. Campbell, who has charge of the extensive dairy plant at the University of Maine, will be in charge of the day. The day will be devoted to the study of the various departments of the college, and Dr. L. S. Merrill, of the College of Agriculture, will be in charge.

Miss Carrie M. Greenlaw entertained a party Wednesday evening, July 23rd, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Ryan, of Lowell, Mass., for visiting Belfast friends. The guests were Miss Allen Patterson, Mrs. Walter A. Allen, Mrs. Herman H. Coombs, Misses Mary K. Ridgely, L. Thompson and Bertha M. May, Grape sherbet and "Sunshine" were served.

Several cases were tried before Judge Smith in municipal court Thursday, all the defendants being Frankfort people. The cases were against En's Flagg, Mrs. Edith Flagg and James D. Irving, all for a statutory rape. They were all bound over under \$500 to appear at the September term of the Supreme court, and got sureties. H. J. Flagg was counsel for Flagg and Mrs. Edith Flagg, and Arthur Ritchie for Irving.

Miss Myrtle Frost was the hostess for a party at her parlor croquet party at her home on Northport avenue, Wednesday evening, July 23rd. Dainty refreshments were served, and the guests present were Misses Margaret Craig, Miss Alice Millard, Miss South Bend, Ind., and Messrs. Charles W. Remington, Vt., Frank Sleeper of Lowell, Mass., William S. Kelley of Minneapolis, Minn., and Roy Ellingwood of Belfast.

A mysterious and serious accident occurred last Friday afternoon in Lincolnville, near the Northport line, and has caused no small uneasiness. As H. Pitcher was having his home place, and having completed the house for a time he tied his horse to a tree and went to look about other work. When he came to look for the horse he was discovered lying down and bleeding freely from his head, and what went completely through his head. No shot was heard, and no one had been seen in the vicinity. The horse is recovering.

A cottage at Winnecook lake, owned by G. Stevens of Burnham, W. L. Frost and W. A. Frost of Pittsfield was burned about 6 a. m., Friday July 25th. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is thought it was occupied last Thursday afternoon, after occupying the cottage for a week and at their departure everything was all safe. The loss was about \$1000, with no insurance. The policy was not out a few days before the fire and the owners had neglected to get it renewed. A boat was also burned.

Mr. Charles R. Coombs and his daughter, Orris J. Dickey, died the heaviest blow in the history of the establishment on Thursday, July 24, when they had a fatal accident during the day. The dead were Mrs. Caroline A. Gorman, Mrs. George A. Gorman, and Mrs. Lydia Ann Wentworth of Belfast. Mrs. Lewis W. Benner of Northport and Mrs. Isiah Cross of Lincolnville. The bodies, Benner and Cross cases were received at twenty minutes. Mr. Coombs shipped the remains of Miss Eliza A. Ginn to East Boston on the Thursday morning boat.

**THE NORTHPORT BRIDGE.** The writer has been over the road at Little River frequently and what the conditions are and what the various plans for improvement have been, and what seems to be the best solution has recently been called to our attention. It is as follows: that the road swing to the right near the foot of the Murphy hill, run behind the farm near the new filtering plant of the Belfast Water Co., cross the river on the old abutments and continue in a straight line to strike the present road on the level below the Burd cottage on the Northport side. The road would avoid the hills at each end of the present bridge. We understand that Mr. Burd would give the land damages on the Belfast side if a permanent bridge be built that would last for the wear of years.

**A WARMING BREAKFAST.** One of the most elaborate affairs given for Miss Florence M. Slugg, whose marriage to Morris L. Slugg took place yesterday, was a breakfast at Bohemia, the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Cobe of Bangor, with Miss Clara Keating of this city as hostess. The affair was given at 12 o'clock last Thursday morning. The attractive cottage was handsomely decorated with roses and sweet peas. A huge ribbon-tied basket of pink roses formed the centerpiece, and rose petals were scattered over the table, which were smaller baskets of candied rose petals and confetti. The place cards were both elaborate and appropriate. Miss Hill found a miniature bride, with satin dress, veil and bouquet complete, while the pink and white bridesmaids on the cards of the other guests added another note to the dainty color scheme. The elaborate menu, from the caviare served in a large basket of ice, with a bow of pink ribbon on the handle, to the ices, which were frozen in the shape of pink hearts and also served in a frozen basket, was both unique and delicious. The coffee was served on the broad porch, where the young ladies spent a delightful afternoon. Pullen's orchestra from Bangor added much to the pleasure of the occasion, which was one long to be remembered. Those present were: Miss Hill, Miss Keating, Misses Evelyn P. Morison, Cora S. Morison, Katherine C. Quimby, Marion Hazeltine, Mrs. C. C. Pines, Misses Margaret White of Miami, Fla., Mary O'Brien of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. L. A. Bushy of Chicago, Misses Marjorie H. Brier, Dorothy Frank of Boston, Mrs. John C. Pillsbury, Mrs. Elton B. Gilchrist.

Rev. Charles W. Woods, who is in Belfast and vicinity, will speak next Sunday forenoon at the Auditorium at Bayside, Northport.

There will be no meeting of the Pythian Sisters until the last Friday night in August.

The Belfast Band will give a concert and ball at Seaside Grange hall next Tuesday night.

The Daughters of Veterans will hold a meeting in Memorial hall at 7.30 p. m. August 7th and a full attendance is desired.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid will be held in room No. 2, Masonic Temple, tomorrow, Friday, afternoon.

Look in the East Belfast items for particulars of the fair and entertainment to be held at Trinity Reformed church August 1st. The third in the series of eight band concerts was given on the schoolhouse common last Tuesday evening. It was a fine concert and was enjoyed by a large crowd.

**ICE CREAM PARTY.** The first fifty ladies buying tickets at the Colonial theatre tonight, Thursday will receive, free of charge, a check for one of Shiro's famous ice creams. Advt.

The members of the State board of assessors held a session in this city yesterday forenoon at the office of the city commissioners, at which the assessors from the towns in the county were present for comparison and consideration of assessments.

Friday's and Saturday's program of 6 reels at the Belfast Opera House includes the three reel feature Jess, and The Mutual Weekly, the most popular animated weekly out. Saturday night a special attraction, The Boston Ladies Orchestra. Advt.

A series of good times is in store for the auction devotees at Pitcher pond in the tournament to be given by Mrs. A. C. Burgess, Mrs. C. H. Walden and Mrs. James H. Howes. The guests will be members of their regular clubs. The first was given yesterday.

Messrs. R. F. Dunton and C. W. Wescott, entertainment committee for the annual lawn party at the Home for Aged Women are arranging for a novel feature in the form of a children's vandeville to be given on the lawn in the evening. The Belfast Band will also give a concert.

**ADVERTISED LETTERS.** The following letters remained uncalled for in the Belfast post office for the week ending July 29th: Gentlemen: B. B. Batchler, Wm. M. Chamberlain, Herbert Davis, G. Green, H. W. Hastings, M. S. Staples, Ladies: Mrs. Abner Briggs, Mrs. Portie Curtis, Mrs. H. P. Sweett, Mrs. Mary E. Wood.

Belfast botanists were favored Monday with specimens of Centaurea Jacea, a "new find" that came from Searsport. Gray's Manual says it is naturalized from Europe, and like the Devil's paint brush is a composite and will probably be found in various places another season, much to the disgust of farmers. Its common name is star thistle.

Last Friday afternoon was all one could ask for a picnic, and a goodly number of Loyal Temperance Leagues and W. T. C. U. members and friends arrived in good season at the Park. The afternoon was spent in the usual manner at the water's edge, viz: bathing, wading, skipping stones, building monuments to unknown heroes, games, etc. Group pictures were taken and it was hardly tea time when appetites had to be appeased from the well laden lunch baskets. About 6.30 p. m. all said au revoir and returned home, tired but happy.

Mrs. George F. Harriman of New York gave a luncheon, followed by auction, at her cottage at Kelley's Cove last Friday afternoon in honor of her New York guests, Mrs. H. A. Caswell and Mrs. C. H. Emerson. The guests were from Rockland and vicinity, and were Mrs. C. A. Leighton, Mrs. C. M. Kallack, Mrs. Lucy Kennedy, Mrs. W. T. White, Mrs. S. White, Mrs. Charles Berry, Mrs. Joseph Wiggins, Mrs. F. R. Spear, Mrs. W. T. Cobb, Mrs. H. L. Shepherd, Mrs. S. H. Webb, Mrs. D. N. Mortland, Mrs. Frank Knight and Mrs. Fred Hill of Bangor.

**SHUT IN A VAULT.** Theatrical interest centers deeply in the forthcoming engagement of the Klark-Urban Company at The Colonial Theater for three days, commencing next Thursday evening, Aug. 7th. The opening play will be "Alias Ginny Valentine," one of the surest hits in a decade. In this remarkable play, which has been running two years in New York, the leading character is a professional safe-breaker, who has trained his finger tips to such a degree of sensitiveness that he can detect the fall of the levers in a safe or vault by his sense of touch, thus being able to open it regardless of his ignorance of the combination. The first act finds this trained criminal in Sing Sing prison, where a fortune train of circumstances puts him on the gubernatorial pardon and also puts him on the straight road to reform. Through the kindness of influential friends whom he has been able to benefit this former bank-looter is given a responsible position in a national bank. There, by honest and efficient service he soon works his way to near the top of the ladder, when a child, having accidentally been shut in a vault, the combination of which has not yet been determined, he is forced to choose between a life and his secret. The play is founded on a short story by the late O. Henry, called "A Retrieved Reformation." It is written in the straightforward manner of Paul Armstrong's plays, and in the most successful manner that prolific author ever wrote, which, considering that the "Heir to the Hoar," "Salome Jane" and the "Deep Purple" came from his pen, is a statement to which much weight is to be attached. Seats on sale at box office next Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Advt.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.** Only three days more—July 31st, August 1st and 2nd—of the half-price sale of wall papers at Carle & Jones. Don't miss this opportunity. Everything in wall papers in stock is offered at one-half the regular price. Cash sale....The Old Corner Drug Store will have honest goods at honest prices—honesty will be the keynote of this business policy....There is just one place where the non-mending Holeproof stockings may be secured, and that's the Dinmore Store....Parlor and sleeping room, upstairs, to let on Franklin street, opposite the postoffice....See appointments of Dr. E. H. Boyington, eye specialist....Colburn's cut price sale of summer shoes will begin today. See the advt. for particulars....The New York Bargain Store, Colonial Theatre building, will have an August clearance sale, August 1st to 8th, when there will be remarkable price reductions. The balance of their millinery at one-half price....Table board wanted for a family of four....The Ford is the universal car. Get catalog and all particulars from Carle & Jones, Belfast, Waldo County agents....A 7-room tenement in a good location with all modern improvements, to let. Apply to M. R. Knowlton, city building....Eye glasses lost last week. Finder please return to owner, 21 Cedar street....Lost on Northport avenue last Saturday a blue mohair coat with Irish lace collar. Reward offered....Power boat for sale at Camden....Mr. L. W. Benner, Mr. A. P. Benner, Mrs. G. Smith and Mrs. Langill publish a card of thanks....Mrs. Emma A. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Chester D. Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Talbot publish a card of thanks.

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BELFAST, MAINE.

Mrs. Carrie Emmons received a telegram Wednesday announcing the death of Elmer Baker in Brockton, Mass.

The afternoon for Grade 7 in the High school building was used as a polling place for Ward 2, instead of the Opera House as in former years.

Dr. Elmer Small reports a peculiar combination of names for his first five calls Monday morning—Pineo, Trim, Haycock, Brown and Gray.

**VETERANS' MEETING.** The Waldo County Veterans Association will hold the August meeting with South Branch Grange, Prospect, August 7th, at K. of P. hall. If stormy, the next fair day. This meeting is by invitation of the grange. As we have never met in Prospect before it is hoped the boys will make a special effort to meet the people of old Prospect. The usual fare will be furnished by the grange. Bring along your goodies. Come all and hear the boys tell of their Gettysburg trip.—A. Stinson, Sec'y.

**FOOTNOTES OF BELFAST HISTORY.** The recent perusal of an old record book found in the garret of the Dickinson house on Cedar street proved so interesting to the lady into whose possession it came that it suggested the saving in permanent form of the material therein contained relative to the Belfast Ladies' Aid Society of Civil War days. The book, the suggestion for the pamphlet entitled "Footnotes of Belfast History," which is to be on sale by the ladies of the North church at their fair August 6th. Other articles in the pamphlet will be on "The Academy," "The Belfast High School" and "The North Church Sunday School," the last based on records kept by Mrs. Abigail D. Field from 1830 to 1883, and containing many names familiar to us of this generation in the descendants of those therein enrolled.

**THE PRIMARY ELECTION.** There was very little interest in the primary election held in this city last Monday to choose Republican and Democratic candidates for Congress from the third district to succeed the late Hon. Forrest Goodwin of Skowhegan. The lack of interest was, however, only with the voters. The mayor, as the special champion of ex-Congressman S. W. Gould, was very active in his behalf, and from an auto distributed flyers telling what Mr. Gould would do for Belfast if elected. This was followed by a circular from some one opposed, which said: "The voters want to know what else Mr. Gould assured the Mayor—was it the?" and then followed a picture of the Belfast postoffice. The vote of the city by wards was as follows:

Ward	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Peters	60	28	24	9	5	126
Haines	7	8	4	7	3	29
Pattangall	15	15	10	7	3	50
Gould	61	35	45	12	3	156

**AN EVENING WITH SAMUEL LOVER.** By special invitation Rev. Charles B. Ames entertained the Reading Department at the Arts and Crafts room last Monday evening, taking up Samuel Lover, an Irish poet, novelist, musician and miniature painter. Lover was born in 1797 and died in 1868. In 1818 he sang publicly in London one of his own songs and through its influence came at once into public favor and published his first volume of songs and ballads. It was about this time that "Rory O'More" and "Handy Andy" were dramatized. After his health failed he came to America several times on lecture tours. His poetical work took a wide range, and the poems read by Mr. Ames, with selections from "Handy Andy," gave his hearers an intimate knowledge of the author and his characteristics. His reading of "Peggy in the Low Backed Car," was specially pleasing, and the sweet song, "Row, Fisherman, Row" was charmingly rendered. The regular meeting in August will be the 12th and 26th, when Mrs. J. C. Durham will take up the life and work of Robert Louis Stephenson.

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Don't forget that to tonight is orchestra night at the Belfast Opera House, five reels of good pictures, including a two reel feature and that great comedy, "Heinze's Resurrection," by request. Advt.

There was no meeting of the school committee last Monday evening and a special meeting was called for last evening (Wednesday) to act on the resignation of Miss Hazel Barnard of Lewiston, who has been offered a position in the Leavitt Institute at Turner Center, ten miles from her home. Miss Marion Hazeltine has applied for the position. Miss Julia Vaughan, recently elected to the City-point school, has resigned, her physician advising a change of climate and has accepted a position in a school in New Boston, N. H.

Evidently some people have no regard for the travelling public, whether on business or pleasure. A short time ago the lower bridge was closed to travel unnecessarily, and last Saturday the draw was raised to admit of the passage of a barge and kept up until she was turned and docked, a period of an hour and a half. Both ends of the bridge was then filled with vehicles, including not less than twenty-five automobiles. Work was begun week ago on a section of State road on Bridge street and after it had been turned up operations were suspended, and so it remains.

Herbert S. Morey had a remarkable escape from serious injury last Friday. He was at work on the Frye block on Court street and was standing about 6 feet from the top of a 31 foot ladder when a section of about 8 feet broke off, and Mr. Morey, who held on to the broken part, was precipitated backward. As the top broke off the main part of the ladder struck against the brick wall and the section with Mr. Morey clinging to it came in contact with it and broke his fall in such a manner that the ladder was again broken and a section thrown about 15 feet to one side. Mr. Morey finally landed on his back, but was only slightly bruised and has felt no ill effects from the fall.

**FOOT'S MILL.** Mrs. Elsie Banks has been very sick the past week and remains about the same at this writing....Mrs. Ella Brown has spent the past two weeks in Montville with Mr. and Mrs. Volney Thompson. Mrs. Thompson being sick....Mrs. W. A. Jackson and children of Sanford returned home last week after a visit with Mrs. Lucy Jackson....Mrs. Julia G. McKee was a recent guest of Annabell Underwood....Join Sine of Boston is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Henry Wentworth....Mrs. Nellie Morgan gave an interesting sermon last Sunday. She will speak every Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m., local....Frank Holmes has been stopping with J. F. Sheldon the past week.

**AN ATTRACTIVE GARDEN PARTY.** The midsummer sale under the auspices of the Episcopal Mission was given last Thursday afternoon on the grounds of Hon. and Mrs. James P. Taliaferro at the junction of Church and High streets. The location, residence and grounds are among the most attractive in the city, and presented an animated and pretty scene. The playthings of the little grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Taliaferro, including a canoe, saw, etc., were placed at the disposal of the children, who not only enjoyed themselves to their utmost but furnished entertainment for the spectators. Mr. and Mrs. Taliaferro and their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Lane, extended a cordial welcome to the visitors and every courtesy and assistance to those in charge of the affair, and to them the members of the mission wish to publicly express their gratitude. The threatening weather prevented Castine and Camden friends from attending, but those present included many summer residents of Belfast and vicinity. The proceeds of the sale will be applied to the building fund for the chapel to be erected at the corner of Court and Elm streets. The tables were in charge of the following ladies: Fanny articles, Miss Helen Picklesy of Warwick, N. Y., Mrs. Wm. H. Quimby, Misses Christine Hall and Maude Gammons, bags, Miss Jennie Wilson of Philadelphia, Mrs. Annie W. Weeman and Mrs. J. H. Cramer; candy, Miss Grace Bickford; ice cream, Mrs. A. C. Hopkins, Misses Maude B. Steward and Geneva P. Heald; punch, Miss Margaret O. White; aprons, Mrs. A. P. Goodhue, and children's table, Miss Doris Cramer, Mr. John Cuzner and others of the mission and many outside friends contributed to the success of the affair.

**LUCE AGAIN IN COURT.** The efforts of Mrs. Evelyn A. Mudgett to regain possession of her Northport cottage occupied, by Dr. Prince E. Luce, who claims to hold a lease running through this season, resulted in the arrest of Dr. Luce July 23rd on the charge of resisting an officer and of illegally carrying dangerous weapons. Deputy Sheriff C. O. Dickey was the complainant. Mrs. Mudgett's son, Albert Mudgett, went to the cottage with two carpenters, to make some necessary repairs and took with him Deputy Sheriff C. O. Dickey. According to the testimony of the complainant when the party approached the cottage Dr. Luce appeared and said that Mr. Dickey could come in if he wanted to, but the rest must stay out. Then, according to Mr. Dickey, Dr. Luce made a motion as if to draw a revolver, the witness closed in on him and there was a scuffle in which the officer took a revolver from Dr. Luce, placed him in an auto, and brought him to Belfast, where he was arraigned. Judge Knowlton found him guilty, fined him, and placed him under \$100 bonds, with Arthur Ritchie and James S. Harriman as sureties. Ritchie was counsel for Dr. Luce. Thursday the carpenters began the work of tearing down the cottage. The crew removed the cook house and L. and had commenced on the main house when Mrs. Luce, who was alone in the absence of her husband, became hysterical and work was suspended, to be resumed later, the intention of the owner being to clear the lot. Dr. Luce asserts he has a lease of the cottage which runs through this season. He has resisted all attempts to evict him, being under bail to answer to three charges before the Supreme Court as the outcome of resisting attempts to get him out. Mrs. Mudgett says that Dr. Luce has no lease or any other title to the cottage.

Mrs. James Mitchell and daughter, Mrs. Henry Macdonald, of Alberta, Canada, returned to Boston last Saturday from a visit with Belfast relatives. Mr. Macdonald met his wife in Boston for the trip west.

Miss Hazel Barnard of Lewiston and Miss Anne M. Kittredge of this city will leave next Monday for St. John, and Fredericton, N. B. Digby, Halifax and Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. They will spend several days in Wolfville and take a walking trip in the Evangeline country.

Rev. E. S. Philbrook, Mrs. Philbrook and two children of Sanford, have arrived for their annual visit and Mrs. Philbrook and children will remain for several weeks. Mr. Philbrook will leave on Friday in a party including Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson of Belfast and Miss Beulah Philbrook of Brewer for Mt. Katahdin for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace R. Tarbox of Fryeburg are making a trip in their touring car through the State and spent the week-end in Belfast, where their many friends gave them a cordial welcome. They came from Fryeburg by the shore route, through Bath, Rockland and Camden, and left yesterday on their return home via Waterville, Augusta, etc. Mrs. Tarbox is as charming a woman as she was a girl and is very loyal to her friends of girlhood days and her home-coming brings many pleasant gatherings. The only regret is the brevity of her stay.

The Misses Annie V. and Caroline W. Field entertained a four table bridge party at their home Wednesday afternoon and their beautiful old Colonial home with its antique furnishings was made doubly attractive by its decorations of sweet peas and mignonette from the home garden.

Mr. John R. Dunton, whose marriage to Miss Caroline W. Field takes place in the early fall, has leased the Albert M. Carter house on Church street, to be vacated by Mr. and Mrs. William M. Randall, who will have rooms at the H. E. McDonald house, nearly opposite.

**ANNUAL CANADIAN TOUR.** C. W. Robbins of Old Town, so well known in Eastern Maine as the great American traveler, will start on Monday, Aug. 11th, for his nineteenth annual personally conducted tour, including Quebec, Montreal and the Saguenay River, Niagara Falls and the Thousand Islands, a tour which probably includes more points of historic interest than any tour of similar length in the country. A number of our citizens have enjoyed this attractive itinerary with Robbins parties and they always return with words of praise and satisfaction. It is quite probable that our city will be represented in this year's party. An advt. in another column gives rates, and more information may be had by writing Mr. Robbins at Old Town.

**A MIDSUMMER FAIR.** The fair to be held August 6th by the ladies of the North Congregational church will be at the parsonage grounds on High street, instead of in Memorial Hall, as was at first planned. The sale will open at 2.30, and at 8 o'clock the baby show will be the center of attraction. It is hoped to have triplets and several pairs of twins present, and all mothers are urged to bring their babies. There will be no prizes, but all bringing babies under two and a half years of age, will find a cordial welcome and free admission. Following the baby show will be a concert of old songs. Mrs. E. S. Bowker has this in charge, and she has secured a fine array of local and visiting talent. The following ladies are in charge of the tables, and will be assisted by members of the Guild: Fanny table, Mrs. A. A. Small; food, Mrs. Frank Wiley; aprons and rompers, Mrs. R. F. Dunton; candy, Mrs. Charles F. Shaw; ice cream, Mrs. W. L. West. An admission of 15 cents is to be asked, and all proceeds will be applied to the fund for re-decorating the interior of the church auditorium. Among the out of town people who will take part in the entertainment are Miss Hazel Slugg of Winthrop, Mr. F. W. Chase of Newtonville, Mass., Miss Gladys Pitcher, and Miss Katherine Hilton of Chicago.

## PERSONAL.

Judge and Mrs. George E. Johnson returned Monday from a visit in Albion.

Mrs. L. A. Carrier of Indianapolis, Iowa, is a guest at the home of Dr. Elmer Small.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hill of Pittsfield are on a carriage drive through Waldo County.

H. L. Lord returned by Tuesday morning's boat from a brief pleasure trip to Boston.

Mrs. M. D. Pearson and son Kenneth of Keever, Mass., are in Belfast for the summer.

Mrs. James R. Harriman of Alameda, Calif., is the guest of Mrs. Carrie M. Matthews Northport avenue.

Wm. H. Keene and Mrs. A. E. Bicknell spent last Friday in Morrill with Mr. Keene's daughter, Mrs. Edmund Brown.

Miss Velma Mitchell, Miss Florence Chaples and Miss Clarabel Marsh were guests of friends in Bangor last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Piper and Mrs. Martin S. Gray, Jr., attended the funeral of Mrs. Blanche Young in Lincolnville July 24th.

Miss Bertha I. Bird of Auburn, Mass., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Belfast, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Adams.

Miss Alberta Farnham will return this Thursday, morning from a vacation visit with her aunt, Miss Myrtle Herrick, in Rockland.

Mrs. O. E. Clay and son, Basil H. Newell have returned from a ten days' carriage drive through Albion, Canaan, Madison, Skowhegan and Lexington.

Ralph H. Hart of Rochester, N. Y., arrived last Sunday to join his wife and two children in a two weeks' visit at the home of Alonzo Hart, Lincolnville avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clifford, Miss Doris and Master Ralph Clifford, motored to Waterville Tuesday and while there "Ding" booked some big feature pictures for the Belfast Opera House.

Walter A. Cowan, Esq., of Winterport is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Frost during the three days spent in the office of Judge George E. Johnson each week. Mr. Cowan was formerly from Pittsfield.

Mrs. James Mitchell and daughter, Mrs. Henry Macdonald, of Alberta, Canada, returned to Boston last Saturday from a visit with Belfast relatives. Mr. Macdonald met his wife in Boston for the trip west.

Miss Hazel Barnard of Lewiston and Miss Anne M. Kittredge of this city will leave next Monday for St. John, and Fredericton, N. B. Digby, Halifax and Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. They will spend several days in Wolfville and take a walking trip in the Evangeline country.

Rev. E. S. Philbrook, Mrs. Philbrook and two children of Sanford, have arrived for their annual visit and Mrs. Philbrook and children will remain for several weeks. Mr. Philbrook will leave on Friday in a party including Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson of Belfast and Miss Beulah Philbrook of Brewer for Mt. Katahdin for an outing.

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BY AN OLD SETTLER  
(Hon. Wm. G. Crosby.)

CHAPTER XXV. (1830.)  
With this year commenced another decade in this century. According to the national census, then just completed, the population of Belfast was 3077; an increase of 1051 since 1820. That population consisted of 1555 males, 1492 females. There were 68 persons between the ages of 60 and 70; 24 between 70 and 80; 12 between 80 and 90, and one over 90. The population of the county was 29,734; the population of the towns composing it was 22,002 in 1820; showing an increase in ten years of 7928.

The cauldron of reform, social, moral and political was bubbling violently here and hereabouts this year. Anti-gambling, anti-liquor-drinking, anti-running-in-debt, anti-litigation, anti-extravagance-in-living and various associations of similar character were organized. It was for poor, weak human nature—it was but a brief time before the wretches who mixed the broth were detected in appropriating it to their own private use. A natural feeling of disgust followed the detection; reaction followed, and as a usual consequence the good cause suffered. Scheming, selfish men, and honest but deluded fanatics, strove to seduce the honest and credulous into the worship of strange Gods; but the result was then—as it always will be until human nature is sanctified—the deceived and led astray soon became iconoclasts, the strange Gods were cast down and broken to fragments and the priests officiating at their altars were trampled in the dust.

Early in the year the "Belfast Lyceum" was organized and a Constitution adopted. The first officers elected were William Stevens, Esq., President, Oliver A. Washburn, Vice-Pres., Justus Hurd, Sec. The first article in the Constitution declared that its object was "the diffusion of Useful Knowledge;" it contemplated the purchase of "a library and apparatus to illustrate the sciences." Its meetings were held semi-monthly through the year. Among the Lecturers residing here were Rev. William Frothingham, Hon. Alfred Johnson, Jr., Doctors Monroe, Alden Moody and Barker, William Stevens, William G. Crosby and Albert Bingham, Esquires, Mess. Samuel Upton, H. G. K. Calef, Edward Palmer and Francis H. Upton.

There were two fires this year, neither of them in the village. The dwelling house of Nicholas Jeffords at the Head of the Tide was burned, with the greater portion of its contents, in the afternoon of the 28th of January; the dwelling house of Nathaniel Patterson on the east side of the river was burned in the evening of Sunday the 19th of July. There is a tradition that the fire was discovered by a young man and woman who were hanging on a front gate on the west side of the river about 10 o'clock of the evening above referred to.

The noon mail of the 8th of February brought the intelligence that Jonathan G. Hutton had been declared by the Legislature to be the Governor elect. There had been a long and bitter contest in the organization of the Legislature which occasioned the delay. The friends of the successful party were of course jubilant; the afternoon was devoted to ringing the bell, firing cannon, etc., and in the evening the Eagle Hotel, then kept by the Messrs. Eastman, was illuminated. The 22d, Washington's Birthday, was commemorated by a military ball.

Hiram O. Alden, Esq., was appointed Post Master on the 18th of January, and on the first day of February he removed the Post Office from the building on Main street nearly opposite the Eagle Hotel, where it had been kept for many years, to a room in Williamson's fire-proof block, erected the year before; and the westerly portion of the store now occupied by Mr. George R. Sleeper. It continued to be kept there until the latter part of April, 1833, when it was removed to rooms in the westerly end of the old Telegraph building, next to the Eagle Hotel.

Early in the year the county offices were removed from chambers in Phoenix Row, where they had been from the organization of the county, to Williamson's fire-proof block, where they remained until the present Court House was completed. The Probate Office was in that part of the block now occupied by Mr. Henry L. Lord as a store, the Clerk's Office in the room over it, the Registry of Deeds in the room opposite now occupied by Judge Williamson. In the rear part of each room there was a fire-proof vault in which the records and all valuable papers connected with the office were kept.

The Fourth of July was celebrated by the Belfast Light Infantry with an address by Albert Bingham, Esq., and a dinner at the Eagle Hotel, at which a number of invited guests were present. The Hotel was kept at that time by one of the brothers Eastman, and Mr. Chas. Rogers. After leaving here Mr. Rogers was interested in several public houses in different sections of the country and finally became a prominent employee at the St. Nicholas in the city of New York. On the morning of December 31, 1866, he was murdered while removing some snow from the yard of the house he was then occupying in New York. No satisfactory reason for the commission of the crime has ever been assigned and the murderer has never been detected.

On the 7th of August, for the first time, a Democratic Convention, pure and undefiled, was held at the Court House. But a small portion of the "bone and muscle" composing it is now extant. Of those deceased all save a few were comforted in their last days by the reflection that they had "always voted the Democratic ticket." Enough, however, fell from the faith to verify the old adage

that "times change and we change with them."

The old meeting-house on the east side of the river, built in 1792, which had not been occupied for some years as a place of stated public worship, was sold this year at public auction by vote of its proprietors. It was sold for fifty dollars, and soon afterwards was demolished. Benjamin Kelley was the purchaser.

On the 20th of October the Rev. Ferris Fitch was ordained Pastor of the First Congregational Church and Society connected therewith; the exercises were as follows.

Introductory Prayer by Rev. Mr. Loper of Hampden. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Shepard of Hallowell. Charge to Pastor by Rev. Mr. Blood of Bucksport. Right hand of Fellowship by Rev. Mr. Thurston of Prospect. Address to the people by Rev. Mr. Adams of Camden. Concluding Prayer by Rev. Mr. Duncan of Jackson. The ordination services were at the Unitarian meeting-house. Mr. Fitch continued to be Pastor until May 15, 1832, when the connection between him and the church was dissolved by mutual consent. His successor was Rev. Silas McKee, who was installed February 28, 1833.

On the 3d of November the first number of the Maine Workingmen's Advocate made its appearance. It was of the same dimensions and typographical appearance as the Maine Farmer, the last number of which issued in the previous month. John Dorr, Esq., who was for several years a book-seller here, and whose store was in the wooden building at Nesmith's Corner on the site of the one now occupied by Mr. David Lancaster, was its proprietor. Mr. Dorr is still living in Augusta. Its political character was anti-Democratic. At the close of its fifth volume its name was changed to the American Advocate, the publication of which ceased in April, 1836. During the greater portion if not the entire period of the publication of the first named paper it was under the editorial management of Samuel Upton, Esq., a prominent politician of the day. He resided a while in Bangor after leaving this place, and removed thence to Washington, where he died in 1842, aged fifty-seven.

During a heavy gale in the evening of December 15th, about twenty rods in length of the east bridge, built in 1806, was swept away; no attempt was made to repair it but a new bridge was built on the site of the present free bridge as narrated in a previous chapter.

At the annual spring meeting Peter Rowe, James McCallis and Samuel W. Miller were elected Selectmen, Joel Hills, Clerk, succeeding Mr. Bradbury who declined a re-election having held the office nearly five years, and Frye Hall, Treasurer. There were sixty-six officers elected at that meeting; of that number there are but five now living. At the fall meeting Governor Hutton and Hon. Samuel E. Smith were the candidates for gubernatorial honors; the vote here was 236 for Hutton, 287 for Smith. There was a ballot also for member of Congress; 222 votes were cast for Leonard Jarvis, 179 for John S. Kimball and 55 for Samuel Upton. Peter Rowe, Esq., was re-elected Representative to the Legislature.

On the morning of April 6th Mr. Joseph White of Salem, Mass., was found in his bed murdered by a blow on the head and several stabs in the body. It was not known or suspected that he had an enemy and there were no indications that any property had been stolen from the premises. The commission of such a crime in one of the most moral and quiet towns in New England, without any apparent motive of revenge or plunder, produced a sensation of astonishment and horror which spread far and wide. A committee of Vigilance was appointed and upon information communicated to them several suspected individuals were arrested; among them Richard Crowninshield, Jr., and his brother George; Richard was eventually found to be the one who committed the murder; he did not wait for trial by a jury but committed suicide on the 15th of June by hanging himself in his cell.

Before the occurrence of this event, however, and while the Committee were pursuing their investigations, Mr. Joseph J. Knapp, a respectable merchant residing in Salem, received a letter mailed at the post-office in Belfast, May 12th, signed Charles Grant, Jr., asking for a

loan of \$350,—alluding to many circumstances connected with the murder—and concluding with the threat that if the money was not sent before the 22d he (Grant) "would wait upon him with an assistant." The answer to the letter was to be addressed to the writer at "Prospect, Me."

Mr. Knapp was the father of Joseph J. Knapp, Jr., for whom as subsequently appeared the letter was intended. He was of course unable to comprehend its import, and immediately placed it in the hands of the Committee of Vigilance, who promptly adopted measures for the arrest of its writer. Joseph G. Waters, Esq., of Salem and George Jones, a Police officer of Boston, were sent here, arriving just before the 22d, the time limited for the reply to it.

There were then two Post-offices in Prospect; the one in that part of the town which is now Searspoint village was called the West Prospect office. An officer was stationed at this and the other office and also at the office in this place and letters were sent to each of the offices addressed to Charles Grant, Jr. On the 24th a young man called at the West Prospect office and inquired if there was a letter for him, giving the name of Charles Grant, Jr.; he was immediately arrested by the officer stationed there and brought here; on his arrival it was at once discovered that the self-styled Charles Grant, Jr., was John C. R. Palmer, Jr., whose parents were residing here, and who was convicted some two years before of breaking into Mr. Wetherbee's store and sent to the State's Prison; from which he had been discharged some five months.

He admitted that he wrote the Grant letter and stated that he was in Salem on the third of April, three days before, and again on the ninth, three days after the murder, that on the second of April a proposition was made to him by one of the Crowninshields to assist in the murder and to receive therefor a third part of \$1000, which Joseph J. Knapp, Jr. had offered to pay to the person who should commit the act; that he declined the proposition and left Salem the next evening; that when he returned, on the 9th, one of the Crowninshields told him that the dagger used in committing the murder had been melted.

Upon the strength of this information Joseph J. Knapp, Jr. and his brother John Francis were arrested; both of them were afterwards convicted and hung; George Crowninshield was acquitted.

From the confession made by Joseph J. Knapp, Jr. it appeared that through the agency of his brother John Francis he procured the murder to be committed by Richard Crowninshield. His wife was a relative of the murdered man, and the expectation that she would inherit a portion of his estate, should he die intestate, was the motive which prompted the murder. He had himself stolen from the iron chest of Mr. White a few days before the murder a paper purporting to be his Will; it proved to be an old Will which had been revoked by one of later date which was found in the chest after the murder.

#### PUBLIC OWNERSHIP A FALLACY.

A publicly owned utility is a private graft for every politician who can get his hands on it. A privately owned utility is a public duty that can be enforced. An imperial government can engage in private business, because it has a basis separate from the people. A popular government never can, because it lacks the separate sovereignty upon which discipline must rest.

But, the important thing which municipal ownership advocates overlook, is the natural effect upon taxation. Municipal ownership and operation inevitably increase taxation or reduce efficiency. And increased taxation falls always with greater burden upon the poor than upon the rich. The tax is spread at an even rate and the smaller the resources the proportionately heavier the burden.

It is time that people woke up to the fact that merely unpoorizing a corporation, only adds to the burden of living. We lacked the Standard Oil Company, and gasoline and oil cost more than they did. I have seen the telephone company "put out of business"—and it cost twice as much as it would have made them give the service. I have seen a water works condemned and bought by a city, and within six months the people all were praying for the old management. You can regulate and control a privately owned public utility, but you cannot put or keep efficiency or economy into one publicly owned and politically managed.—The Searchlight.

#### From Far Off India.

A Letter to Troy Friends from Miss Sadie B. Gowen, Missionary at Balasore, India.

KALIMPONG, BENGAL, INDIA, May 27, 1913.  
Dear C. E. Friends: Something more than a month ago your letters reached me and were very welcome. I have been waiting for vacation time to come before answering, and now it is here and fast passing away.

Balasore is hotter than an oven now. Of late I sat writing at my desk the perspiration would drip from my fingers, and I must always cover my writing paper with a blotter else it becomes so wet I cannot write.

It seems hardly possible that up here among the hills there can be a place so cool and comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost, whom some of you know, came to Darjeeling when I came here. I went to Darjeeling with some for an hour or two, then took a horseback ride of 25 miles through the mountains to the place where I am now staying, Kalimpong, a large and far famed mission station of the Scotch Presbyterian church.

In this place are people from many races as it is near the borders of Tibet and China, and they differ as greatly in color, dress and manner as though they were of widely separated countries. Just below the mission house where I am staying is a long, low, thatched house and in it are over 200 women and children, many of them very sad. Recently there has been serious trouble between China and Tibet, so that all the Chinese soldiers have been driven out and cannot go back because of having Chinese husbands. Having been there for some time many of them had married Tibetan women, but a Tibetan woman cannot go into China on peril of her life, so the soldiers brought their wives and families and left them under the protection of the English Government and the mission and have gone away to their own country.

The women cannot go back to China because of having Chinese husbands they would be at once killed. They are spoken of as "The Deserted Wives." Government has given some land to them, and the mission has built them a house. You know no missionary has ever got far into Tibet to stay, but cannot you see the hand of God leading them to a knowledge of Himself by their sorrow and hardship?

Dr. Graham, the head of the mission work here, is a man of mighty faith. He believes, he prays, and God does wonderful works through him.

Up on the side of one of these huge mountains in sight of Kinchinjunga, the second highest peak in the Himalayas, are fourteen white cottages with playgrounds and flower gardens, a large, commodious church and schoolhouse, well equipped and modern as to English methods, with only English teachers or rather Scotch. In each cottage is a so-called mother and auntie and from twenty to thirty youngsters of various sizes and colors. In all about 400 homeless boys and girls have homes within those walls. They are not white but Indian, that is, all of them have some blood of the Indian race. Many people called Eurasians, meaning the product of intermarriage between black and white, and for the most part a most undesirable product. The native people despise them, and they, in turn, look down upon the native, while the white man has no use for the man of mixed blood. It is a unfortunate condition, and is like being a man without a country, yet intermarriages are constantly taking place. Well, these fourteen cottages homes are for such children, and in all India there is no other place so good. They are very good houses, and the "mother" tries to be a real mother to her family. The boys and girls, big and little, go barefooted, as shoes are too great an expense for so many, and some of the missionaries' children do the same all the time to encourage and help the others. You have heard Dr. Barnados Homes in London, or some English city. These are confessedly good from his homes, and some of the best I have ever seen.

I wish I could make you see these cottage homes in this wholesome, healthy climate, well managed by refined Scotch women, the church and schools and the children well-cared for who otherwise would be almost vagabonds, and all set among these gigantic mountains. The older girls are taught good house-keeping, nursing, trained for teachers and various other useful work. The boys are taught farming and they have a model farm to work, and those who are capable are trained for professions and various things. All this work is a side issue of the regular mission work and is supported entirely by English and wealthy Hindu people of India, the Government also helps. There are in mission work and in the cottages, sixty or more missionaries in this one place. Is it any wonder the work prospers? However, the house mothers and aunties are not regarded as missionaries, but just as their names imply.

You can imagine that aside from the good air and grand scenery (and one-fourth the horizon is bordered by snow-capped mountains of Tibet and Bhutan) it is an inspiration to me to be a visitor for three weeks among this great body of earnest workers for the Master. However, I am just longing to get back to Balasore and my own folks. Schools reopen June 18th. On the 15th we open

a new schoolhouse in a Hindu village a few miles out of Balasore. The people of the village built the house with some assistance from me, and the New Hampton N. H. young people have sent money for a teacher's wages for a year. A school is often the surest road of access to the hearts of the people and we have hopes that this will be just such a path in that place.

I have also taken over the Zenana work in Balasore since Miss Barnes had to go home, and besides my Kindergarten and Girls School I have now 180 Zenana women in their homes as pupils. There are 15 Zenana teachers and I try to go with one teacher for a few hours every day after having been in school for some hours. The Zenana work interests me very much as I get in personal contact with Hindu women to teach them the gospel message.

Oh there is so much to be done and so few to do it! It's blessed work. Help us by your prayers.  
Yours in C. E. and Christian fellowship,  
SADIE GOWEN.

#### The First Maine Cavalry.

First Sergeant Melville B. Cook Writes Entertainingly as to it.

Much has been written about the First Maine Cavalry, a Regiment raised in different sections of the State and Mustered into U. S. service at Augusta, Maine, in October, 1861.

I served in the field nearly four years, not having been discharged until late in August, 1865. The Regiment carried upon its rolls, including the original members, the recruits received while at the front, and men transferred from the First District Columbia Cavalry, 3225 men.

After serving over two years, 250 men re-enlisted for three years, additional service, making a term of five years, and those men ever after were designated as "Veteran Volunteers."

During its period of enlistment this Regiment lost more men killed in action, died of wounds received and from disease, than any Cavalry Regiment in the service of the United States Army, a total of 325 men.

March 7th, 1865, by a General Order from the War Department, the names of twenty-nine battles in which this Regiment bore a part, were ordered to be inscribed on the colors of the Regiment.

At the close of the war seven additional engagements had been participated in, making thirty-six to the credit of the Regiment, a record not equaled by any other Regiment in any other army of service in the whole U. S. Army. This does not include the many raids and skirmishes in which the Regiment bore a part.

The writer, who was a member of Company B, has been more closely connected with the membership of that Company, and therefore will omit further mention of the Regiment and make only statements concerning Company B's service.

When we left Augusta, in March, 1862, we had on our rolls 100 officers and men. On our arrival at Washington, D. C., we were put into camp east of the Capitol, where we received saber and revolvers, and after a few days' tarry we were ordered to guard the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, where our first noted engagement occurred, and the retreat of Gen. Banks up the Virginia Valley, gave us our first real taste of war. Serving as rear guard during the three days retreat, it was a service that even now is sad to contemplate, as it was followed by the loss of our Captain, J. P. Cilley, left wounded and a prisoner, and also seventy-three enlisted men.

The Company served in the Valley until July 10, when it rejoined the Regiment near Warrenton, Va. In addition to the original 100 men, 92 recruits were received while in the field, and 61 men were transferred from the First District Columbia Cavalry. To this number might be added the 32 men, who December 29, 1863, re-enlisted for three additional years, swelling the ranks to 294 officers and men.

Of the original 109 members only 22 are known to be alive. Of this number 12 of the "Veteran Volunteers" are living.

Elbridge Burton of Thomaston, the oldest living member of the company, was probably in more engagements and skirmishes than any other man of the company, the whole number being 55. He was a man always ready to act, faithful to an uncommon degree and trusted by officers and his comrades under all circumstances. At Sailor's Creek, Va., April 1, 1865, he received the surrender of the Rebel General Corse, under a protest against surrendering to any but his equal in rank. The reply he received was "surrender or die,"—he surrendered.

Appended are the names and residence of the 22 original members of the company now living, also their term of service in the Maine Cavalry. J. P. Cilley of Rockland was our first Captain. He served in all grades up to his present rank and was not absent at any time except on account of wounds. Alonzo Beckwith, Belfast, Maine, 36 months.

Samuel Burrows, Waldoboro, Maine, 46 months.  
Elbridge Burton, Thomaston, Maine, 47 months.  
Alvin A. Carter, Rockland, Maine, 36 months.  
M. B. Cook, Bridgton, Maine, 47 months.  
Isaac W. Cross, Belfast, Maine, 9 months.  
Guvanus H. Dutton, Wintport, Maine, 14 months.  
George W. Eaton, Chelsea, Mass., 44 months.  
Nathaniel Gurney, Waldo, Maine, 26 months.  
Samuel J. Gurney, Belfast, Maine, 44 months.  
Frank G. Haynes, Fairfield, Conn., 36 months.  
Ephraim Lermond, Lincolnville, Maine, 5 months.  
Austin McCobb, Hollister, California, 44 months.  
George A. Messer, Hollis, N. H., 44 months.  
Henry L. Mitchell, Bangor, Maine, 12 months.  
Charles B. Phenix, Togus, Maine, 33 months.  
Surina dal Richards, Belfast, Maine, 44 months.  
James F. Sawyer, Togus, Maine, 5 months.  
Alfred L. Strout, Thomaston, Maine, 37 months.  
George Wentworth, Belfast, Maine, 8 months.  
Frank J. Wood, Oakland, California, 26 months.

The three following members were lost to us so far as any record of them can be obtained. The Pension Department at Washington, D. C., reports that their names have never been on file in their Department. Probably they are dead and are so recorded. They are named:  
Jonathan Brown; Searsmont, Maine 15 months.  
Martin Carr, Thomaston, Maine, 2 months.  
Charles J. Olson, Thomaston, Maine, 44 months.

Men who re-enlisted in the field.  
The last known of Jonathan Brown was a letter stating that he had joined a volunteer company of soldiers at Cape Town, South Africa, and was sent into the interior to battle against Gen. Kruger.  
Alvin A. Carter and Charles B. Phenix were transferred to U. S. Navy by request.

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M. B. Cook

At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1913.  
JAMES LIBBY, Judge.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the 8th day of July, 1913, John R. Dodge, administrator of the estate of George H. Dodge, deceased, having presented his first and final account of administration of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, that notice thereof be given three weeks successively in The Republican, a newspaper published in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the 12th day of August next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.

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